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'JOCK'S WAGGIN' TONGUE

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Jock McIntyre, Editor

Everything in the crop report is hunkie-dory this week. There has been good rains in all directions and no pests no pests of any nature as yet.

New full vision body by Fisher with full width three passenger front seat providing greater safety and comfort is only one of Chevrolet features for '40.

Our heartfelt sympathies to the friends and relatives of the Porter family in their sad bereavement.

A feeler gauge is something you have wanted too. We have just oodles of them too and you don't need to wait for \$1.00 wheat to buy either.

Neil Gatz was a Champion visitors on Monday.

The Parris-Dunn direct drive wind electric is tops folks in that line and no "foolin." let us tell you about its goods points, we have one on display.

Graf Gunderson reports the best of fishing out at the lake and when Graf says its good. Our stock of fishing tackle is the proper stuff to catch the big ones with.

We are offering some real buy in used two volt radios and we do mean real values too.

Folks we just know that horse back holidayers need some upholstering but it appears it was rubber horse shoes instead of kneeling pads.

Our stock of A and C batteries is always fresh and complete. Our new tube tester is still at your service too, so keep the old radio in good working order and spend July 1st in Champion.

It seems that there was a ball game here last Sunday and judging by what we can hear there must have been some errors made. Has anyone seen Watt this week?

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Councillors of M. D. Harmony Meet.

The regular monthly meeting of the Council of the Municipal District of Harmony 128, was held on June 6. All members were present and Reeve Griffin presided.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and on the motion of Councillor Hagerman same were approved.

Secretary presented the regular monthly statement of receipts and expenditures and after examination same were approved by Councillor Hopkins
Carried

A discussion arose in respect to hours worked on the Road Outfits and Councillor Ellis moved the Secretary get in touch with the Board of Industrial Relations, and to ask for a permit to work additional hours, to make up for time lost on account of rain. Carried

The Council next went into the accounts that were presented and Councillor Mix moved that these be paid as amended.
Carried

Secretary read a communication from Victor Muhlenkamp of Norwalk, Wisconsin asking for a reduction on his arrears of Taxes, which have accumulated over a period of years, and the Secretary was advised to communicate with this tax payer and advise that the Council had authority for such action.

A communication was read from the Department of Municipal Affairs approving the appointment of E D Battum as Auditor for 1940

Mr Graham of the Department of Agriculture interviewed the Council re Grasshopper control; Matters of interest were discussed in detail, and Mr Graham assured the Council, that the Department had ample supplies on hand, and were in a position to start, as soon as the situation warrants.

R Lee approached the Council re additional assistance to maintain his boy, this has gone for a time, and Reeve Griffin told Mr Lee to see the Secretary later, who would report the Council's decision;

The next item to be discussed was the trimming up of the Roads from Weeds, and

Councillor Ellis moved, that the outfit go ahead and trim these roads over the entire division immediately, after they have completed the work now in progress in Division No 1.
Carried

The Council next dealt with applications from the following rate payers, A. J. Miller, H. J. Higgins, and F. S. Racher, a Councillor Hagerman moved that Mr Racher be appointed to this office, as Weed Inspector and that Reeve Griffin will make arrangements as arrived at.
Carried

Secretary was instructed to procure five sets of blades for the maintainer, also that he get in touch with Mr Loundsberry about these.

Councillor Matlock moved that the Reeve and Secretary make arrangements for R Lee to move into McGraws house.
Carried

Councillor Matlock moved that we allow R Lee \$15.00 per month for the time being.
Carried

Councillor Hopkins moved that a By Law be passed to enforce all farmers to take care of his weeds on road allowances adjoining his farm; After discussion this motion was withdrawn. Secretary to secure definite information on this from the Department of Agriculture.

Motion to adjourn was moved by Councillor Ellis at 7:15 o'clock

Farewell from Students

to R. D. Farries.

The Students of Champion School sponsored a farewell party on the evening of June 10 for R. D. Farries who has resigned his position as a teacher of the grades 6, 7 and 8 in Champion.

The party took the form of a surprise, as Mr Farries was about to enter the school in the evening after supper about 100 students and ex students appeared from everywhere.

A program of softball games was carried out, with three games going on all at one time.

At it grew dark a giant bonfire was lighted.

The students and ex students gathered about to hear a few words from each of the following; O P Thomas the principal, Miss Olive McLean representing the students of Mr Farries, James Brown representing the graduates of Mr Farries classes into high school, Jim Anderson spoke on behalf of the ex students of the Champion School and Miss Schultz, who in a short appropriate address presented Mr Farries with an initialed leather brief case. Mr Farries replied in a few well chosen words thanking the young people for their lovely gift.

Old Timers Passes.

The death occurred on his farm home at Champion of Mr William Porter, 78 years at 8:15 Monday morning following a lengthy illness of five years which was caused by a stroke at that time. Mr Porter has been confined to his bed for the past year.

He was born at Tare Ontario in 1861 and came to live in Alberta in 1910, settling in this district the following year with his wife on their farm west and south of town.

He leaves to mourn his passing, his wife, four daughters and two sons, namely Miss Douglas Crooks of Kimberley B.C. Mrs Albert Brett of Champion Mrs R Shultz of Champion, Mrs S R Pallesen of Champion and the two boys, Austin of Vulcan and Fred of Champion.

Funeral services were held in Champion on Thursday afternoon at two thirty in the United Church. Reverend Peter Dawson officiated. Internment took place in the Champion cemetery.

W. I. Celebrate 25th. Anniversary.

Tuesday June 11 the Champion W I met at the home of Mrs M G Clever, the occasion being the 25th anniversary through which the W I have carried on without having to disband, to celebrate the occasion. The W I invited the surrounding institutes, namely Barons, Kircaldy, Good Deeds Vulcan, Thigh Hill and Reid Hill to which all responded nobly there being over 80 ladies the local girls entertained. A lovely time was enjoyed by all a delicious lunch was served and every one had a grand time

After the speech making and the fire died down so that they could get within reach a supper of hot dogs and coffee were enjoyed around the embers.

Mr Farries has taught in Champion for the past ten years, teaching grades 6, 7 and 8. He has taken a position with a well known Insurance Company but will make his home in Champion for at least a year. The whole district joins in wishing Mr Farries every success in his new venture.



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- Editorial -

Keeping Cheerful

Too many Canadians are going about wrapped in gloom, and saying, "It looks bad, very bad, doesn't it?" Not as bad, we feel like saying, as you do. It is one thing to appreciate the gravity of the situation; it is another thing, not far removed from cowardice, to keep talking about it and saying how terrible it is. There ought to be some sort of a modified internment camp for people who have this habit.

Things look black, let him remember that things usually do in war time and that to spread his apprehensions is to attack the morale of those who listen to him. Nobody knows better than the English how serious is the immediate outlook; none of us are certain of the end. They keep on racing their horses and playing football on a modified schedule, and on Saturday afternoon we heard over the BBC a new recognition of the triumph at times of Hitler's hands. They are acting there on the principle that a brave man dies but once. They may be inwardly quaking, but they keep smiling, and help keep courage in other people.

In these days it is an indecent thing for a Canadian to talk as if the war is over and Hitler in London. The tendency of a general atmosphere of gloom and defeatism is to make others think that, as all is lost, it is too late for Canada to do anything, and that we might as well cease our war efforts. That is playing the enemies game, and no good Canadian will do it. If he thinks things look black, let him remember that things usually do in war time and that to spread his apprehensions is to attack the morale of those who listen to him.

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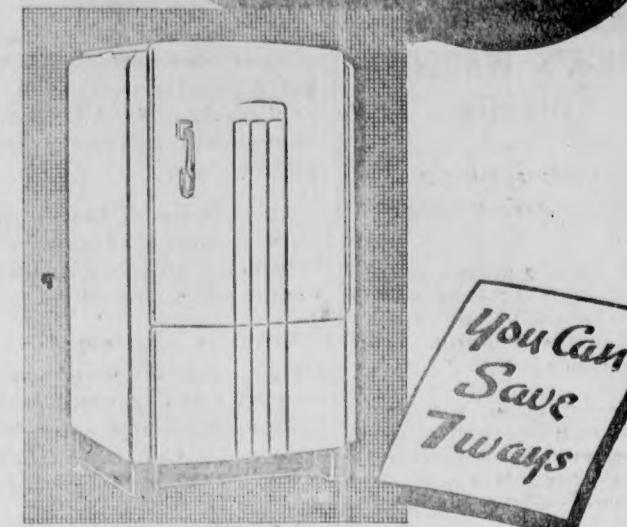
Canadian Pacific

Determination Wins

Few Canadians there were
who did not feel proud and satisfied to learn that the British
and French forces escaped the
trap in Belgium last week. True
many of the brave souls lost
their lives but the sacrifice
would have been greater had
not the battle continued.

There is a clear lesson to be
learned from this battle. It was
freely stated that the army was
trapped and would have had to
surrender or die, but the
determination to win life over-
came all odds. There are dark
days ahead but let none of us
throw up our hands and say the
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**Leigon Head Denounces
Destruction of Vimy
Memorial**

"The Hun run true to form." In these words Alex. Walker of Calgary, Dominion president of Canadian Legion, bitterly denounced the ruthless German destruction of the Canadian Memorial on Vimy Ridge and the blasting of military cemeteries in Flanders and northern France.

"The hellish hordes of Germany apparently think that such senseless action will serve to undermine the morale and fighting spirit of the Allied and, more especially, the Canadian forces. They still have perverted interpretation of our psychology. Nothing since the outbreak of the war has so helped to crystalize Canada's determination to fight to finish as this maniacal wastage just perpetrated," he said.

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The publisher has secured the services of a graduate of Toronto University in dietetics to act with a practical lady in judging the contest. While western ladies originally these persons will be able to judge with out fear or favor.

**For First Prize \$2.50
Second Prize \$1.50**

Any number of entries may be made as long as renewals or subscription money is enclosed. Results will be announced. The winners will be published in the Chronicle.

The Vimy Memorial was not a pile of granite gloating over a victory achieved twenty-three years ago, Mr. Walker pointed out, "but a thing of rare beauty representing the Spirit of Sacrifice, Peace, Justice, Honor and Faith. It was symbolic of Canada mourning for her dead of her sympathy for the mothers, the widows and the helpless. There was no justification whatever for its destruction."

Although this sacred bit of land in France, deeded forever to Canada by the French Republic in commemoration of the glorious sacrifices made in 1916 and 1918 by the Canadian Expeditionary Force, has been destroyed, it shall be restored.

Mr. Walker scored the ruin of British, French and Canadian cemeteries as an act which God Himself will punish. He said that such wanton destruction was typical of the German mentality which this long suffering world must now obliterate for all time. It is the peace among nations that is to be achieved.



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Baseball Notes

Baseball on Sunday in Champion, High River v.s. Champion 7 to 3 win for High River. "Comedy of Errors."

The I O D E have been asked to contribute their share toward the purchase of a bomber for the Allies. Come in Saturday afternoon to the dining room of the Savoy hotel and have tea and contribute your share.

At a regular meeting of the town Council held June 6th a resolution was passed declaring June 22 as "Clean up Day". The council wish to thank those who have expressed their civic duty in cleaning up their premises and that others in view of health and cleanliness will observe the need therefore

Village of Champion

Mr Bill Klien has accepted a position with a wheat puffing plant in Calgary and reported for work on Wednesday.

Miss Maxine Ditto who has been attending Normal School at Calgary has returned home and is practicing teaching with Miss Ivah Miller.

Larry Haig who has been attending University in Washington has returned home.

Making the tea Saturday at the Savoy Hotel a bombing success by being there.

Help Win the War!
Help Buy the Bomber!

The hard hitting Intermediate Baseball Club obtained a screaming victory over Parkland with a 10 to 3 score. Highlights of the game were two smashing home runs by Alex Latiff and George Hargrave. The Champion battery was G. Berger and W. Anderson.

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Miss Agnes Wilson, daughter of Dr and Mrs A F Wilson, who is nurse-in-training at the Alexandra Hospital, Edmonton is home for her vacation. Miss Gladys Leonard on Saturday afternoon entertained a few of Agnes' school friends who enjoyed a merry time. The young hostess served a dainty lunch.

The regular meeting of the Women's Hospital Auxiliary will meet on Sat. evening in the town office at 8 o'clock.

Mr and Mrs Jim Davey (Sr) left Sunday for Kildner, B.C. for a two weeks vacation.

Join us at the "Bomber" tea sponsored by the I O D E in the Savoy Hotel on Sat. 15th.

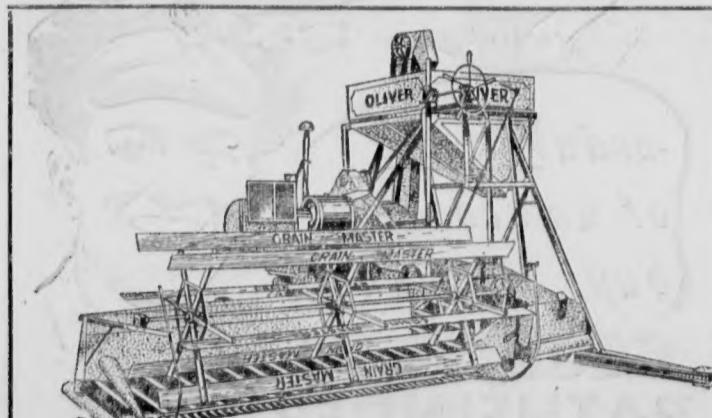
Mr and Mrs A Butler have returned from their holiday in the south country aboard their wiry mustangs.

Mr J Callie who has been relieving at the Local Bank has returned to his home.

The new Model 12 Grain Master for 1940 with the rubberized weatherproof drapers and all metal ball bearing pitman and many other features that goes to make it a leader. We will have one on display soon.

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CARMANGAY

After waiting two years Rex Teskey son of Mr and Mrs Ray Teskey, was called by wire to join the R. C. A. F. in Toronto, where he will attend the training school.

Mrs Elsie sister of R. Church along with her husband paid a visit at the Church's home last week, they had motored up from Montreal.

"Wuthering Heights" with Merle Oberon, Lawrence Oliver and David will be shown on Monday next at 8:30.

W. Dayman, R. Craig, Joe McKie, L. Roemele and F. Whitmarsh are attending Grand Lodge A F and A M. in Edmonton.

Tuesday last a delightful time was enjoyed at the home of Mrs. A. Anderson when she entertained the the North Priscilla Club.

Mr and Mrs R. Teskey's son Alan left recently for Ontario where he is visiting relatives also he will try to procure a job in the Automobile factories.

Dr Stark of Calgary is taking the place of Dr McKenzie for the next two months.

George Hutchings, who has a farm east of Carmangay, has as his guest Miss Laura Hutchings.

Born to:—Mr and Mrs Irvin Bowie (nee Peggy Crantz) a daughter.

Six candidates were presented to Bishop Sherman for confirmation at the service in the Sunday afternoon with a large crowd present who heard the Bishop give a stirring address. Following the service some members of the congregation were entertained at the home of Mrs Peacock.

Village of Carmangay

Tax Sale Of Lands

A tax sale of certain lands in the Village of Carmangay will be held in the Village office at Carmangay on the third day of July 1940 at two o'clock in the afternoon.

A list of said lands can be seen in the secretary's office at Carmangay at any time between nine o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon any day.

James McNaughton,
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